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TO AMEMBASSY ANKARA IMMEDIATE

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FOR AMBASSADOR SPIERS FROM MATT NIMETZ

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PGOV, UNGA, CY

SUBJECT: CYPRUS MISSING PERSONS

REF: NIMETZ/SPIERS TELCON 12/1/77

1. FOLLOWING OUR CONVERSATION I TELEHONED AMBASSADOR ESENBEL AND URGED THAT HE CONTACT HIS GOVERNMENT IMMEDIATELY REGARDING THE MISSING PERSONS TEXT WORKED OUT TODAY. (SEPTEL). I INFORMED HIM YOU WOULD ALSO BE CONTACTING GOT AT HIGH LEVEL FRIDAY. ESENBEL UNDERTOOK TO DISCUSS WITH TURKMAN AND TO PASS ON TO ANKARA OUR STRONG RECOMMENDATION THAT THE GOT FAVORABLY STUDY THE NEW PAPER.

2. I EXPLAINED IN CLEAREST TERMS WHY I PERSONALLY BELIEVE
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TURKISH AND TURKISH CYPRIOT ACCEPTANCE OF PRESENT DRAFT PAPER IS IN THEIR OWN INTEREST. FIRST, THE SUBSTANCE OF THE AGREEMENT IS NOT ONLY FAIR BUT IS IN FACT FAVORABLE TO TURKS. SECOND, AGREEMENT NOW WILL AVOID CYPRIOT INTRODUCTION OF THEIR RESOLUTION AND SUBSEQUENT ACRIMONIOUS DEBATE AT UN THIRD COMMITTEE NEXT WEEK. FYI TURKS MUST UNDERSTAND THAT USG WILL BE IN DIFFICULT POSITION IF

COMPROMISE IS BLOCKED BY SEEMING TURKISH INTRANSIGENCE
END FYI. THIRD, CONCRETE, PUBLIC AGREEMENT ON SUCH A
SENSITIVE AND EMOTIONAL ISSUE WOULD BE EVIDENCE TO

INTERNATIONAL OPINION AND US CONGRESS THAT THE PARTIES
TO THE CYPRUS PROBLEM CAN NEGOTIATE IN CONFIDENCE AN
EXTREMELY DIFFICULT ISSUE THROUGH TO ITS RESOLUTION.
OUR ABILITY TO POINT TO FORTHCOMING TURKISH ATTITUDE IN
THIS REGARD COULD BE CRITICAL IN FUTURE.

3. I HOPE YOU CAN FOLLOW UP IN ANKARA ALONG SIMILAR LINE
AND WITH ALLUSION TO OTHER POINTS RAISED IN OUR TELEPHONE
CONVERSATION. BEST WISHES. VANCE

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